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THE BURNED CONSTITUTION.

If, as the statement of the ex-Queen implies, the famous new constitution was a harmless amendment to the old one, designed merely to repair the latter's defects, why, then, did she hasten to burn all the copies of it extant when she was dethroned? That this was her course appears in a signed confession made to Minister Damon last February, and printed at the time in the San Francisco Examiner. It is obvious that she looked upon the new constitution as a document which, if given to the world, would hopelessly incriminate her. Had it been anything like what she now says it was would she not have opened it to the public as proof that she had been at work upon a measure of popular reform and not upon a "piece of absolutism." The act of destruction was an act of concealment—a "confession by avoidance" that the new constitution was despotic in its terms and had justified the revolution which came of it.

The phrase "Burn this letter" contributed very much in 1884 to defeat Mr. Cleveland's opponent for the Presidency. We surmise that the act of burning the new constitution will have a similar effect upon the same statesman's royal protégé. The American people have proved themselves very sensitive upon matters of that kind.

A PRIVATE letter from California states that the new Democratic United States Senator, Stephen M. White, will take strong issue with President Cleveland on the matter of restoration. It is thought in New York that Senator Hill and his colleague, Senator Murphy, will do the same. Strength in the Senate is now a nearly even thing between the two great parties, with the Populists holding the balance of power. Senator Peffer, the leader of the Populists has declared against the Gresham scheme and it is presumed his colleagues will follow suit. Counting with the Republicans, this group of Senators and the three Democrats named, together with that tried friend of the Provisional cause, Senator Morgan, and the party of good government in Hawaii has a strong working majority now in the upper house of Congress.

In his wisdom F. M. English inquires what the United States wants of a coaling station stuck way out here "2000 miles in the ocean?" In return it might be asked what does England, Germany and France want of coaling stations on the other side of the globe from their own coasts? Does not Mr. English know that such stations are placed at distant confines of the earth so that warships voyaging there may find coal when they need it? What does he suppose that every country should keep its maritime coaling depots at home?

THERE is a great need of reform in the personnel of the Interior Department, where a number of clerks are employed whose loyalty is open to grave doubt. In the clerkships of the Postoffice there is also a chance for the bribe. As yet the Augean stable of the monarchy is but half cleaned out. Don't let the good work lag, men and brethren!

THIS morning the American papers were probably brim full of the Hawaiian news that went out on the Arawa and Oceanic. Tomorrow a steamer will leave San Francisco for this port with the Coast file and a week later we shall know how the American people responded to the Hawaiian appeal.

THE Royalists flatter themselves that "Judge" Kepoikai can't be legally dismissed. It remains true, however, that he can be impeached both for disloyalty and for incompetence. The "Judge" is avowedly a Monarchist and like necessity he knows no law. Turn the rascal out!

TURN the road board out! It's a short matter of repeal.

MR. ENGLISH'S VERSION.

The manner in which the Royalists are trying to delude the people of the United States about the way the revolution of 1893 was brought about appears in the course of an interview with F. M. English, published in a Denver paper. Speaking of the events that trod upon the heels of the great mass-meeting where the overthrow of the Queen was determined, Mr. English says:

In the first place the revolution was effected by thirteen men out of Honolulu's population, backed, Minister Stevens to the contrary notwithstanding, by 250 marines and two Gatling guns trained on the palace gates. I know this to be true, for on the night when the revolution was effected I saw these men and guns stationed by United States Lieutenant Lucien Young opposite the palace in the rear of the opera house. The American property which the men were ostensibly put ashore to protect was half a mile away in another part of town. As Commissioner Blount has said, the soldiers were in a bad place to protect property and in a good place to scare Queen Liliuokalani. But this is all old, no doubt.

Professor Alexander, I see, predicts bloodshed in the event of Liliuokalani's restoration. He doesn't know anything about it. He has spent years shut up with his books, and is not a safe guide in questions of this kind. There will be no bloodshed. Take away the marines of Lieutenant Young, and the thirteen revolutionists cannot do much.

Of course an exposure of Mr. English's falsehoods is superfluous here where the facts are known; but for readers abroad, it may be well to state that the proceedings of the committee of thirteen were sustained by a large armed and a larger civic body, the numbers of which are represented by the 6500 recruits of the Annexation club. As to the marines of the Boston, who committed no overt act while on shore, they were "taken away" so long ago as last April. If as Mr. English is absurd enough to say, but thirteen revolutionists were left to sustain the Provisional Government in the face of a party whom Mr. Blount formally invited to overthrow the new regime, the reflection upon the strength of the Royal authority and the courage of the party of the ex-Queen becomes very broad and significant. If Mr. English is to be believed thirteen men are now holding nearly 100,000 people at bay and President Cleveland besides. What must be the opinion of Americans about an "outraged nation" which would stand that sort of thing from April to November and which is calling meanwhile on American marines for aid?

A word to the Denver readers of the STAR about English himself. First, he is a British hater of everything American; second, he was long and perhaps is yet a paid controversialist on the ex-Queen's side; third, his testimony on any subject in which he is a party at interest would be promptly impeached on these Islands by a cloud of witnesses.

THE Holomua launches a curse against Minister Damon. "Exit, Samuel Damon," it roars as the Pope's bull did at the comet. Meanwhile the Minister of Finance continues in his serene orbit and will do so indefinitely. If there is any "exit" coming it will be that of the moribund Holomua.

In his interview F. M. English says "the Queen is a noble woman." English used to get \$75 a month for preaching such absurdities. Is he again retained?

A ROYALIST road board, with an jail-bird bookkeeper, is a survival of the monarchy which ought to be promptly wiped off the slate.

TWO INFERNAL MACHINES.

THEY are sent to the Kaiser and His Chancellor.

BERLIN, Nov. 28.—An infernal machine, bearing the Orleans postmark, has been received by Count Caprivi, the German chancellor.

The Emperor William received through the post a package similar to that sent to Chancellor Caprivi. It contained an infernal machine, but the timely discovery of the nature of its contents prevented an explosion.

The package, like that received by Chancellor Caprivi, bore the Orleans postmark.

President Carnot, on learning that the packages had been posted in France, urged the authorities to use their utmost endeavors to capture the authors of the plots.

It has been ascertained that if the infernal machines sent to the Emperor and Chancellor Caprivi had exploded they would have done fearful havoc.

BERLIN, Nov. 29.—The infernal machine posted to the Emperor was destroyed by the Imperial Guards.

The President of the Reichstag returned thanks to God that the Emperor and Chancellor had escaped the machinations of their enemies.

THE WAR IN BRAZIL.
Prospects of a Big Naval Battle in the West Indies.

order to allow Lieutenant Zolinski to instruct officers of the Brazilian navy in the use of the dynamite gun has been cancelled, and his place as instructor will be taken by another officer.

News has been received that the City of Paris, in Brazil, has joined the insurgent leader Admiral Mello.

RIO DE JANEIRO, Nov. 29.—Admiral Mello's fleet has left here to intercept the President's fleet, which is said to be concentrating in the West Indies.

RIO DE JANEIRO, Dec. 1.—The insurgents fired on the British steamer Sardinian, doing damage to the vessel and wounding some of the sailors on board.

THE AMERICAN TARIFF.

A Radical Measure Opposed to the Reciprocal Treaties.

WASHINGTON, November 29.—The Tariff Bill is of a radical character and repudiates the reciprocal treaties with South America. Where it is possible to propose to adopt ad valorem duties and freedom of taxation on raw materials, and provides for an expansive free list, including coal, flax, and eggs. The duty will be removed from wool in March next, and a reduction be made in the duty on woolen goods in July. The Bill implies that the loss to the revenue is about to fifty millions dollars annually.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 29.—It is the general impression that the Tariff Bill will encounter strenuous opposition in Congress. The wool-growers are actively opposing the measure.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.—It is proposed to increase the legacy duties, taxes on spirits and malt, and impose a duty on sugar to meet the loss of revenue expected from the alterations in the tariff.

SAMOAN ITEMS.

Chief Justice Ito was holding Court in Apia when the Mariposa left.

H. M. S. Rapid was cruising among the islands.

Tabou, King of Tonga, had a narrow escape from death from an explosion of powder.

Thomas Mahen ceased to be Secretary of State on November 30th.

Robert Louis Stevenson celebrated his forty-third birthday on November 21st.

B. M. Huggard, brother of the great novelist, was one of the guests.

The newspapers are full of a discussion on "Social Purity" in which Robert Louis Stevenson and others are taking part.

RUSSIAN CATHOLICS.

They Have a Serious Affair With the Czar's Troops.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 30.—The Russian Government ordered the closing of a Roman Catholic Church in Koono, the capital of the Government of the same name in European Russia, on the Baltic.

The Catholics resented this interference and occupied the church. Troops were summoned to expel them, and in doing so killed twenty, and wounded 100.

The remainder fled and were pursued by Cossacks. Many lost their lives in attempting to cross the river Niemen.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

Dublin has a dynamite scare.

The Serbian Ministry has resigned.

Montreal has had a sharp shock of earthquake.

Zanardelli is the latest cabinet-maker in Italy.

The gripe is again raging in England and Germany.

The new French Ministry are headed by M. Casimir Perier.

Carnot is blamed for causing the political crisis in France.

It is again reported that King Lobengula has been captured.

Thirty-five lives have been lost in a railway disaster near Milan.

The Vancouver line of steamers may be extended to New Zealand.

Greece will be compelled to compromise with her foreign creditors.

It is feared the British steamer John Hawkins was lost in the Bay of Biscay.

M. Melne has been asked to form a new French Ministry, but has declined.

On Nov. 26th the Emperor of Germany had a narrow escape in a railway collision.

The Italian Bank Committee's report incriminates M. Crispi and twenty-five deputies.

Ten thousand bodies have been recovered from the scene of the Persian earthquakes.

Mr. Gladstone says he does not believe that Russia has acquired a naval station in the Mediterranean.

Miss Migue's appeal in the breach of promise case against the Sultan of Johore has been denied.

An unsuccessful attempt has been made by dynamite to destroy the Aldboro barracks in Dublin.

The ex-King Milan, who is bankrupt, is advising King Alexander to suspend the Constitution to secure funds.

The Porte has requested the Russian fleet not to visit Constantinople on the pretext of danger from cholera.

The Czarevitch is reported to be betrothed to the Princess Helene of Orleans. Her father denies the story.

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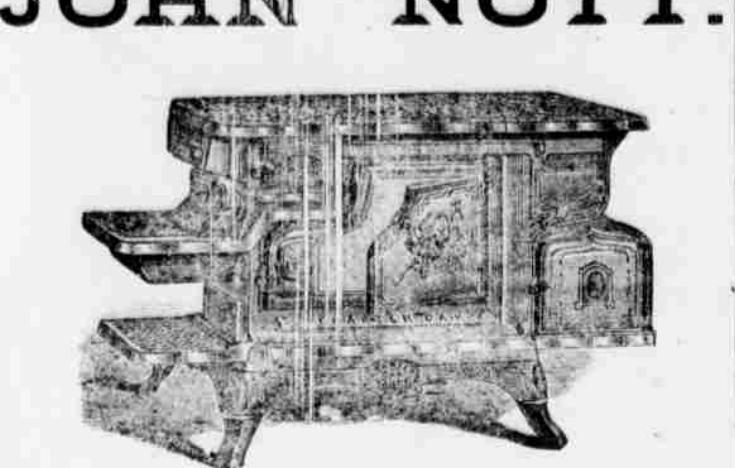
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